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## **SUBMISSION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821-1.825**

Sir:

In accordance with the provisions in 37 C.F.R. §§1.821-1,825, Applicants respectfully submit the following amendment for entry in the above identified case.

## **CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.8(a)**

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